

# BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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PRICE TWO CENTS.

## SUFFER DEFEAT AGAIN

GOVERNMENT TROOPS REPULSED  
IN ATTEMPT TO TAKE SANTO  
DOMINGO CITY.

## LANDS AMERICAN MARINES

Commander Turner of the Cruiser At  
Santa Sends Bluejackets Ashore to  
Protect United States Consulate.  
President Vasquez Reported to Be  
Approaching to Attack City With a  
Strong Force.

Washington, April 6.—A report to  
the navy department from Commander  
Turner of the cruiser Atlanta at Santo  
Domingo City, shows another repulse  
to the government troops, who made  
an attempt to take the city from the  
revolutionists, and that Commander  
Turner was again compelled to land the  
bluejackets to protect the United  
States consulate. Commander Turner's  
dispatch is as follows:

"Santo Domingo, via Hayti, April 5.—  
Government forces attacked city yes-  
terday, were repulsed. Report indi-  
cates Vasquez, the president, ap-  
proaching with strong force. Govern-  
ment gunboat fired three shots last  
night without injury. City fortified,  
apparently determined to resist; land-  
ed marines to protect the consulate."

One day last week Commander Turner  
landed a force of 50 marines to  
guard the United States consulate at  
Santo Domingo City when the situation  
was regarded as very critical.

## PREVIOUS ENGAGEMENT.

Insurgents Driven Back to the City  
After Severe Fighting.

Santo Domingo City, April 1.—At 9  
o'clock a. m. the government troops  
outside the city attacked the insur-  
gents in the suburb of Pajarito. The  
most severe engagement since the re-  
bellion broke out ensued, and the in-  
surgents were driven back to this city.

The artillery from the fort covered the  
insurgents' retreat. General Vasquez,  
at the head of a force reported to be  
800 strong, is about to march on the city.

The rebels are disposed to fight to  
the last and it is supposed that if they  
are compelled to abandon the city they  
will embark on the gunboat Independencia,  
which is in their power, and go to the northern part of the island  
and join the rebels there.

The United States cruiser Atlanta  
has landed fifty marines to protect the  
American consulate.

Santo Domingo City, April 2.—No  
engagement has taken place this morn-  
ing between the government troops  
and the rebels, but large government  
forces are now marching on the town  
and an attack is momentarily expect-  
ed. The rebels are making great  
preparations for resistance. In yester-  
day's engagement at Pajarito, the con-  
tending forces used firearms and cut-  
lasses. Several persons were killed  
inside the city by stray shots. The  
government gunboat Presidente bom-  
barded the town last night and one  
shell fell inside the yard of the Ger-  
man consulate but did not explode.

The surgeon of the Atlanta assisted in  
attending to the wounded in the Pajarito  
fort. Many of the wounded died  
for want of timely assistance.

The members of the consular and  
diplomatic corps here met today and  
appointed a commission to notify both  
sides that they must observe rules of  
war, and to demand twenty-four hours'  
notice before any attack is made on  
the town, in order that the foreign  
residents may go to a place of safety.

All places of business are closed  
and the situation is extremely criti-  
cal.

## EXCITES SURPRISE IN PEKING.

Contemplated Increase of United  
States Fleet in Asiatic Waters.

Peking, April 6.—The report receiv-  
ed here that the action of the United  
States in increasing her Asiatic  
squadron is on account of "the alarming  
reports on the situation in China"  
excites surprise, in Peking. Such re-  
ports were not sent by the United  
States or British legations, which pos-  
sess good facilities for judging the  
situation in China. The only dis-  
turbances considered serious are those in  
the Kwang Si province, the Southern  
provinces of China, bordering Tonkin,  
where 100,000 rebels are said to be  
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under arms, which were never directed  
against foreigners. The latest reports  
regarding General Tung Fuh Siang, the  
"Boxer" leader, and Prince Tuan, the  
anti-foreigner, who are at the head of  
the insurgent forces in the Northwest-  
ern province of Kansu, are reassuring.

The government claims to have come  
to an understanding with them where-  
by they agreed to refrain from hos-  
tilities. It is believed that the gov-  
ernment is supplying them with funds  
on condition that they remain quiet.

The officials promise the foreign  
ministers that the indemnity bonds  
will soon be signed. The officials ap-  
parently concluded that it will be im-  
possible to obtain any concessions in  
the terms of the indemnity until that  
formality is fulfilled.

The dowager empress and the court  
have started on their journey to the  
Western Tombs. They will be ab-  
sent from Peking eighteen days.

Business traffic on the railways enter-  
ing Peking will be practically sus-  
pended for several days. The masses  
regard the pilgrimage with astonishment  
disapproval and predict that heaven  
will send disaster.

PREPARE TO MEET OFFICIALS.

Committees of Railroad Employees to  
Ask for Increase in Wages.

Chicago, April 6.—The adjustment  
committees of the railroad trainmen's  
and conductors' organizations have ar-  
rived in Chicago and are preparing to  
meet the officials of the Illinois Cen-  
tral and Alton railroads. The train-  
men's and conductors' committees be-  
lieve the same terms can be secured  
on the Illinois Central and Alton for  
their members as those on the Wa-  
shash—a 15 per cent increase for  
freight and a 12 per cent increase for  
passenger service.

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### SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1903.



Weather.

Partly cloudy with snow. Colder.

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Judge Spooner, of Bemidji, is in the city.

E. H. Simmons left for the east this afternoon.

G. H. Schofield returned this afternoon from St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Budd have returned from Morris.

Mrs. E. A. Troxel, of Sleepy Eye, is visiting Mrs. Slaughter.

Mrs. C. M. Patek returned from Milwaukee this afternoon.

Miss Sadie Reilly went to Staples Saturday night, returning this noon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll and Howard have returned from St. Paul.

Miss Lorine Connor left for Minneapolis this afternoon for a brief visit.

Hon. C. C. McCarthy, of Grand Rapids arrived in the city this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKay went down to the Twin cities this afternoon.

Miss Ethel Moberg left this afternoon for a brief visit in the Twin cities.

Lieut. J. M. Heffner has returned from a business trip to the Twin cities.

Mrs. C. H. Cole, of Forgo, is visiting in the city for a few days with friends.

Attorney W. A. Fleming left this afternoon for Princeton on legal business.

Ike Black came in from the north this morning and left this afternoon for the east.

Miss Ella Longman has returned from St. Paul where she visited for a day or two.

Robert Greibler, of St. Cloud, is in the city visiting with his brother, George Greibler.

Mrs. F. L. Wilcox, of Walker, passed through the city this afternoon en route to St. Paul.

P. H. McGahey, of Walker, passed through the city this afternoon en route to the Twin cities.

Mrs. J. E. Hurd arrived in the city this afternoon from Minneapolis for a visit with friends and relatives.

The remains of Mrs. F. Sorenson will be taken from the vault and shipped tomorrow to Clinton, Iowa.

Mrs. Jennie Grewcox left for Valley City last night being called on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Jane Stewart.

Mrs. C. Galarnenult, of St. Cloud, spent Sunday in the city with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Donahue, leaving this afternoon for Aitkin. She is Mr. Donahue's grandmother.

Miss Mary A. McCarthy will spend the week with her parents.

Miss T. Randolph Moulton has gone to LeSeuer to spend a week with relatives.

Miss Hutchinson, a popular teacher in the schools of the city, has gone to Fergus Falls to visit.

Miss Flo Halsted and Miss Irene C. Lowey left for the Twin cities this afternoon for a brief visit.

Robert Stitt and Attorneys Fryberger and Briggs arrived in the city this afternoon from Duluth.

L. C. Nelson, a prominent attorney of Minneapolis, passed through the city this afternoon en route home from Buckduck where he had been on business.

There will be special meetings at the First Baptist church, beginning on Wednesday evening of this week. These meetings will be conducted by the B. Y. P. U. and all are invited to be present. There will be good singing.

Store your stoves and household good with D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

### Farm Machinery For Sale.

I have a quantity of farm machinery consisting of binder, mower, cultivators, corn harvesters, stirring plow, etc., as good as new. Will take 70 per cent of cost if sold at once.

Time will be given, purchaser to give good note. Enquire at 1023 Grove St. WM. MILLIGAN. 25413-w3t

### Mirth, Not Misery, Loves Company.

I have always doubted the proposition that "misery loves company" and have believed that such a statement was first put forth by some arch hypocrite whose misery was but a pretense and who was beckoning some other sham sufferer into a quiet corner where they could both be joyful on the sly.

However slight my knowledge of universal misery may be, I can attest from personal experience that my own misery claims solitude and slips away all by itself and turns the key upon the curious world, asking nothing so much as to be "let alone." I do not care to weep in company, nor would it cheer me to have a chorus of other weepers to sob in unison with me. Rather would I remain in unmolested wretchedness until my tears had vanished and my eyes and nose assumed normal appearance.

"Tis mirth then, and not misery, which pines for company. Fun cannot thrive alone and flourishes only among congenial spirits. Our laughter must be shared, our smiles responded to, and every glance of merriment needs recognition to make it worth the while.

Caroline Ticknor in Atlantic.

### CAVED FROM DEFEAT.

Nationalists Support British Government on Lighthouse Bill.

London, April 4.—The government was only saved from defeat in the division of the house of commons on the second reading of the private bill regarding the payment of lighthouse dues by the support of a number of Nationalists.

The Liberal papers, commenting on Mr. Wyndham's remarkable speech at Manchester and the flying rumors of the government's intention to appeal to the country on a programme of local self-government for Ireland declare that it might have been the speech of a Gladstonian, so friendly were its accents toward Ireland and the wisdom of trusting the Irish people and conciliating the Irish sentiment in the United States and Canada.

### WILLIE AND HIS POLITENESS.

Willie (reading his verse at Sunday school)—"And they took Joseph's coat, killed a boy and dipped the coat in the blood."

"Now, Willie," said the teacher, "you know the text reads 'killed a kid,' not a boy."

"Yes, but didn't you tell us it is vulgar to say 'kid' when talking about little boys?" replied the apt scholar, beaming with delight at his good memory.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

### A GRAND SUCCESS

A Large and Enthusiastic Audience Hears The School Musical on Saturday Evening

The musical given by the grades of the public schools Saturday evening at the opera house was a complete success. During the whole year the superintendent and teachers have worked out a system of training, the result of which was the musical. It assembled children from all parts of the city, and by means of songs common to all the schools, broadened acquaintanceship and unified interests of the pupils. It cultivated an exquisite taste in costumes and etiquette, and showed that hundreds of pupils are really attaining proficiency in music. Not a pupil needed correction in deportment during the entire program. Songs of patriotism, sentiment, fellowship and merriment when learned with zest and precision leave upon the mind impressions that last through life. In this way music finds its true value as a means of training.

An unskilled observer would see in the execution of the program more than an ordinary list of numbers to consume time and make a show. Twelve numbers, two from each building, were taken from regular school work, each number containing two selections. The excellence of these pieces was such that special mention of one neglect the others.

"The Lord is My Shepherd" by a chorus of eighth grade girls, songs from the Child World by primaries from the Mills school, "The Blue Bells of Scotland" by sixth and seventh grades Whittier, "The Jolly Students" by the Lowell grades,

"The Postillion" by the sixth and seventh grades Harrison, "The Merry Farmer Boy" by fifth and sixth grades Lincoln, "We Meet Again Tonight, Boys" by sixth and seventh grades Lincoln, "Come Back Sweet May" by sixth and seventh grades Lowell, "Ten Little Sunflowers" by Whittier grades, "My Native Land, Farewell" by fourth and fifth grades Harrison, and the Minnesota State Song by Harrison grades were all excellent and much applauded.

Anderegg and Lemon's bill to provide for a blanket ballot, containing the nominees of all parties at the primaries, was quickly interred, without a rising vote.

Another bill of the same kind, by Mr. Dowling, was given the same treatment.

Pool Bill Indefinitely Postponed.

The Hanaford pool bill was reported for indefinite postponement by the house general legislation committee. It was a mere formality, as the bill had no support.

Morley's live stock sanitary board, creating a new board to assume part of the present duties of the state board of health, with regard to killing diseased cattle, passed the house by a vote of 66 to 21.

Mr. Rockne sent up an amendment to Mr. Hellwell's bill, making only one publication of articles of incorporation necessary. The amendment, which was adopted, makes two weeks' publication necessary. The bill was then recommended to pass.

Representative Ole Peterson's bill, allowing bridges without a draw on the Minnesota river, was emended so as to permit such bridges above the City of Le Sueur.

Swanson's bill to amend a technical error in the "lumberjack law" of 1901 was amended so as to provide that lumberjacks should not be punished for refusing to work at any unsanitary camp. Mr. Lemon had a further amendment that would virtually repeal the law, but it was not adopted.

The Burns bill to amend Chapter 13 of the general statutes of Minnesota for 1878, as amended by Chapter 46 of the laws of 1895, relating to the public highways in townships was passed.

Limits TERM OF OFFICE.

Eberhart National Guard Bill Recommended for Passage.

The Eberhart bill for an act to limit the term of office of the field and general officers of the national guard of the state of Minnesota was recommended for passage by the senate sitting as a committee of the whole, but not until the family skeleton of the guard had been dragged into the upper house.

There will be no examination of fee offices this session so far as the senate is concerned.

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### COLE TIMBER TAX BILL

MEASURE PROVIDING FOR TAXATION OF TIMBER WHERE CUT PASSES HOUSE.

SENATE RECOMMENDS EBERHART NATIONAL GUARD BILL FOR PASSAGE.

St. Paul, April 4.—The Cole timber tax bill passed the house by the decisive vote of 72 to 26. The negative votes were mainly by Minneapolis members.

The bill provides for the taxation of timber where it is cut, without regard to the residence of the owner.

A motion of Mr. Hugo to indefinitely postpone was voted down, very few besides the Hennepin members voting for it. Mr. Gillette's amendments, with regard to timber cut in one county and shipped to another, was also defeated. A second amendment to strike out two lines was lost by the same vote.

The house, through a special committee, will investigate the financial operations of the state game and fish department.

The house unanimously adopted J. D. Schroeder's resolution calling for a committee of three to probe the information regarding the seizure and sale of game, guns, nets, seines, etc., which Executive Agent Fullerton refuses to furnish. The resolution calls for a report from the committee within ten days.

Representative Tighe's bill to take judicial nominations out of the operation of the primary election law was killed after brief debate.

Anderegg and Lemon's bill to provide for a blanket ballot, containing the nominees of all parties at the primaries, was quickly interred, without a rising vote.

Another bill of the same kind, by Mr. Dowling, was given the same treatment.

Pool Bill Indefinitely Postponed.

The Hanaford pool bill was reported for indefinite postponement by the house general legislation committee. It was a mere formality, as the bill had no support.

Morley's live stock sanitary board, creating a new board to assume part of the present duties of the state board of health, with regard to killing diseased cattle, passed the house by a vote of 66 to 21.

Mr. Rockne sent up an amendment to Mr. Hellwell's bill, making only one publication of articles of incorporation necessary. The amendment, which was adopted, makes two weeks' publication necessary. The bill was then recommended to pass.

Representative Ole Peterson's bill, allowing bridges without a draw on the Minnesota river, was emended so as to permit such bridges above the City of Le Sueur.

Swanson's bill to amend a technical error in the "lumberjack law" of 1901 was amended so as to provide that lumberjacks should not be punished for refusing to work at any unsanitary camp. Mr. Lemon had a further amendment that would virtually repeal the law, but it was not adopted.

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## PURCHASING POWER IS STRICKEN OUT

Senator Ferris Gets After Bill Introduced by Senator Colister at St. Paul

### AFFECTED BRAINERD'S INTEREST

Purchasing Clause is Eliminated From Bill Pertaining to Water Works

A bill has been introduced in the house of representatives which would not, under ordinary circumstances perhaps, have attracted particular attention, but there was a little opposition to the matter which was of particular interest to Brainerd, although nothing has been heard of it through the press.

The bill referred to was introduced by Senator Colister, which was entitled an act to amend section 2, chapter 204, of the general laws of Minnesota, entitled "An act to grant additional powers to cities of the state of Minnesota and to empower such cities to issue their bonds for certain purposes therein mentioned."

The bill from its inception met opposition from Senator Ferris and he succeeded in having stricken from the bill some of the features which would surely give the Minnesota Water Works company, the corporation which now owns the water works plant here a great leverage, as it would give the city additional power to issue bonds to purchase the plant.

As is well known President Tighe, of the Minnesota Water Works Company, is very much interested in laws affecting water works plants, especially as the Brainerd plant is on his hands and his franchise will run out in a few years. Every move that he can make, therefore, in the right direction in the way of legislation, will help him out when the time comes to dispose of his plant or renew his franchise with the city and it is generally conceded that he is particularly shrewd in manipulating such deals.

Of course this bill was not introduced by Mr. Tighe but the features are all interesting to him as it would directly affect the water works plant in this city. The following is the bill in full:

"Section 2. No city in this state shall at any time be authorized to issue bonds or to incur any debt or liability of any kind for any purpose in excess of five per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of such city, according to the last preceding assessment, except as hereinafter provided, and should any bonds be so issued in excess of said five per cent, except as herein provided, the same shall be invalid; provided, that when bonds are issued for the purchase, refunding or payment of other bonds of such city the bonds to be so purchased or paid shall not be considered a part of the bonds on which any city may be liable, for the purpose of determining whether the bonds so issued will increase the bonded indebtedness of any city above the limit prescribed in this act."

"All sums of money realized from the sale of city bonds shall be applied to the purpose for which they are issued, and no other, and such purpose shall be distinctly stated in the resolution or ordinance authorizing their issue."

"The common council of any city in this state may, either by resolution or ordinance, passed by a three-fourths vote of all the members elect, at any general or special meeting called for that purpose, authorize the issue of the coupon bonds of such city to any amount not exceeding five per cent of the aforesaid assessed valuation, without submitting the question of such issuance to a vote of the people; provided that three-fourths of all the members elect of such common council do not vote in favor of the issuance of such bonds, then the same shall not be issued, except upon a two-thirds vote of the legal voters participating in the election of the city proposing the issue of such bonds, which vote shall be taken at a general or special election called and conducted in the manner prescribed for holding municipal elections; provided that when any city has heretofore constructed any water works or electric light plant, or has reserved the right to purchase such waterworks or electric light plant, instructed by any person, company or corporation, it may hereafter contract or purchase such

water works or electric light plant, and has issued or shall issue bonds for the construction of such water works or electric light plant, and the amount of said bonds so issued when added to the other indebtedness of said city shall cause the entire indebtedness thereof to exceed five per cent of the total value of the taxable property of said city according to the last preceding assessment for the purpose of taxation, then said bonds shall not be deemed to be a part of the total indebtedness of said city, which said city is forbidden to make to exceed five per cent of the total value of said taxable property.

*Provided further that the water works to be purchased shall at the time of such purchase yield a revenue sufficient to pay the interest on the total amount of the bonds to be issued therefor."*

Although of no immediate interest to some parts of Minnesota and over which there was very little said in connection with the same on the floor of the house of representatives in St. Paul, the bill introduced by Representative Colister was something equally as good as anything that has been called to the attention of the members for some time.

### NELS IN A BAD WAY.

Nels Johnson Arrested Charged With Drunkenness, is Found Guilty, Fined and Rearrested.

Nels Johnson, who has been working for the Cross Lake Logging Co. the past winter, is having a rather serious time of it in the municipal court.

It seems that Nels and R. G. Haupt got into an altercation on Kindred street Saturday morning. Chief Sargent was sent for and Nels was arrested charged with drunkenness. This morning he appeared in court and was represented by Attorney F. L. Bannon. After the hearing the defendant was fined the usual dose, \$7.40 and costs.

He had no more than paid his little fine than he was arrested again on the charge of assault in the third degree. The case was continued until tomorrow, Johnson furnishing \$25 bail for his appearance.

### Opening is Continued.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather a large number of ladies were present at the Grandelmyer grand Easter opening this afternoon. On account of the bad weather the opening will be continued all day tomorrow.

D. M. Clark & Co., oldest and largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms.

### THE MARKETS.

The following range of prices on the Minneapolis market today is furnished by Edwards, Wood & Co.:

Wheat—	May	July
Opening .....	731	731
Highest .....	731	731
Lowest .....	721	731
Closing .....	731	731

The following are the cash closing prices on the Minneapolis market:

No. 1 Hard.....\$ 0 .761

No. 1 Northern..... .751

No. 2 Northern..... .741

No. 3 Yellow Corn.... .421

No. 3 Corn..... .40 to .41

No. 3 White Oats.... .321

No. 3 Oats..... .291 to .311

No. 2 Rye..... .47

Barley..... .49 to .52

Flax to arrive..... 1.11

May ..... 1.11

July ..... 1.131

The Chicago closing prices are as follows:

May wheat..... \$0 .731

July "..... .70

May Corn..... .421

July "..... .431

May Oats..... .331

July "..... .361

May Pork..... 17.60

July "..... 17.12

May Lard..... 9.82

July "..... 9.70

May Ribs..... 9.70

July "..... 9.62

Wheat—Cables at opening a/c't for our weakness at opening. Some liquidation of long wheat caused a slightly further decline at Chicago. Armour buying of May caused a sharp rally. The situation in wheat is sound, this is shown by the nervousness displayed on all declines and the quick rallys therefore on the appearance of buying orders.

Corn—The world's shipment of corn, almost entirely American is 3,589,000 bushel. Shipping business light owing to the vessel tie-up.

Oats—Trading in oats was on a small scale.

Garden seeds and lawn grass at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. This signature

## JOHN RISK MEETS ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Word Received by Relatives in the City Saturday from Vancouver, B. C.

### MOTHER, SISTERS, BROTHER HERE

Details of the Death Not Given in the Telegram Received in this City.

News reached the city by telegram Saturday night announcing that John Risk had been accidentally killed at Vancouver, B.C. The news was at once conveyed to the brother of the deceased, Chas., and he informed the other members of the family. Mrs. Risk, mother of the deceased lives here and there are also three sisters, Mrs. Chas. Fratcher, Mrs. W. B. Bartsch and Mrs. W. P. Robertson.

The details of the accident were not given in the telegram. He was head clerk in a large grocery store at Vancouver and the men for whom the young man has been working have been wired.

Seats are now selling at Dunn's drug store.

## MUSIC AND DRAMA.

### "A TRIP TO CHINATOWN."

Hoyt's plays are clever and the public revels in them. They are full of keen wit, kindly satire on the fads of the day, sparkling with wit and altogether possessing those qualities that are sure to put an audience in a happy frame of mind. They are built to amuse the people and they succeed emphatically. His "A Trip to Chinatown" which comes to the Brainerd theatre this evening has been given an entirely new musical setting. Into this play the late Chas. Hoyt put some of his best and funniest observations and it is claimed by many to eclipse in brilliant merriment any of his other efforts. "A Trip to Chinatown" will be presented with new scenery and stage effects, the latest and most popular music, clever specialties and one of the best companies seen in a Hoyt show. The company includes Wm. Kellar Mack, Jack Campbell, Frank Beamish, Percy Walling, Wm. Sturgeon, John Doyle, Sylvia Starr, Kitty Wells, Nellie S. Miller, Molly Saylor, Zenie Blair and others.

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### PROMENADE CONCERT.

Miss Charlotte Hanlon announces the first promenade concert ever given in this city to take place in Gardner's hall on April 17th. Be it understood that there is no dancing at the promenade concerts given in London and Paris upon which this will be modeled. The audience will be provided with chairs during the first part of program consisting of eight numbers, rendered by Miss C. Hanlon, Miss Marian Halladay, Master Glenn McNaughton and Messrs. Charles Wilson and Harry Butts. After this the seats will be arranged around the walls leaving the center of hall free from end to end for the promenade, where the audience can walk and converse and have a good sociable time and partake of the ice cream, which will be served in four booths arranged in the corners of the hall, under the management of Graham Brothers. During the second part the music will be furnished by Prof. Fitch's orchestra. Encourage local talent by patronizing this concert. Admission 25 cents.

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### LADIES' MUSICAL CLUB.

The Ladies' Musical club of Brainerd met at the home of Mrs. G. D. LaBar, Saturday afternoon, April 4, and was well attended.

A paper on the "Life of Greig" was read by Mrs. E. A. Farrar after which the following program was rendered, all the compositions with one exception were by the Norwegian composer Edward Greig:

Piano Solo, "Poetic Tonbilder" No. 3...Greig

Mrs. H. I. Cohen.

Piano Solo, "Norwegian Bridal Procession".Greig

Mr. G. D. LaBar.

Three Songs a. "Good Morning"..... Greig

b. "I Love Thee"..... Greig

c. "Margaret's Cradle Song"..... Greig

Mr. G. D. LaBar.

Piano Solo, "Ase's Death"..... Greig

Miss Jennie Mycen.

Norwegian Song..... Henri Loge

Mrs. W. H. Gemmel.

Piano Solo, "Over the Mountains"..... Greig

Miss Jennie Mycen.

Church Meeting.

A meeting of the members of the First Congregational church is hereby called for Thursday evening, April 9, at 8 p. m., in the church parlors, for the consideration of a pastor for said church, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. A full attendance is desired.

26112 H. W. ISHAM, Clerk.

### STORAGE HOUSE BURNS.

Fire Destroys Property Valued at Near

ly a Quarter of a Million Dollars.

Birmingham, Ala., April 6.—The immense storage house of the Birmingham Fertilizer company in East Birmingham, said to be operated in the interest of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical company, was destroyed by fire, the loss being \$225,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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Valentine Fitzpatrick for the employees issued a statement which did not give the terms of settlement. The officers of the railroad refused to say what concessions, if any, had been granted to the men. It is rumored that the employees have gained many points for which they contended.

Originally is simply a pair of fresh eyes—Higginson.

### LITTLE GIRL DROWNED.

Her Brother and Three Other Children Seriously Injured.

Bloomington, Ill., April 6.—Bessie Cooper, six years old, was drowned and her brother Thomas, eight years old, was probably fatally injured and three other children were seriously injured by the overturning of a buggy from a bridge into Kickapoo creek near Mattoon, Ill.

After crosses and losses men grow

humbler and wiser.—Franklin.

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AND

## Rain Coats

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Umbrellas right from a large Philadelphia manufacturer at closest city prices.

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No. 1, Duluth Express 3:55 a. m. 4:05 a. m.

No. 12, Duluth Express 1:00 p. m. 1:10 p. m.

**WEST BOUND:** Arrive Depart

No. 5, F. & M. Express 1:05 p. m. 1:25 p. m.

No. 13, Pacific Express 11:55 p. m. 12:05 a. m.

No. 11, Pacific Express 12:15 p. m. 12:45 p. m.

Trains 13, 14, 15 and 16 daily.

**ENTHUSIASM INCREASING.**

King Edward and King Carlos Receive

Great Ovation in Lisbon.

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aroused by the visit of King Edward  
is increasing. A brilliant gala per-

formance of "The Barber of Seville"

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HOFFMAN  
WILL HOUSE YOU

## OHIO LOCAL ELECTIONS

NEW CODE REORGANIZING MUNI-  
CIPALITIES MAKES THEM FAR  
MORE IMPORTANT.

### NO OFFICERS HOLD OVER

Party Organizations Have Been Un-  
usually Active and Many Charges of  
Fraudulent Registration Have Been  
Made—Mayors of Larger Cities Run-  
ning for Re-Election—Johnson and  
Ingalls Desire to Be Governor.

Cincinnati, April 6.—The local elec-  
tions throughout Ohio today are more  
important than heretofore, owing to  
the new municipal code enacted re-  
cently by the legislature which reor-  
ganizes every municipality. There  
will be no officers holding over and for  
this reason the party advantages se-  
cured will be greater than heretofore  
at April elections. With more at  
stake than previously the party orga-  
nizations have been unusually active  
and there are many charges of  
fraudulent registration. Several hun-  
dred warrants have been prepared in  
Cincinnati for service. It is charged  
that over 1,000 false registrations have  
been made in a single ward. The  
present registration has broken all  
April records also in other cities.

The mayors of the larger cities like  
Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo, Bay-  
ton, Zanesville, Columbus and other  
cities are running for re-elections and  
Jones of Toledo for the fourth time.  
Ingalls in Cincinnati and Johnson in  
Cleveland are credited with being  
candidates this year for the Democ-  
ratic nomination for governor as well as  
for the mayoralty of their respective  
cities, and next year for the presi-  
dency.

Bears on Re-Election of Hanna.

The election also is watched on ac-  
count of its bearing on the candidacy of  
Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland for  
the Republican nomination for gov-  
ernor and on the re-election of Senator  
Hanna. The legislature selected next  
November elects Hanna's successor  
and the control of the municipalities  
is considered of importance to the  
coming state election. Senator Hanna,  
while taking special interest in the  
contest in his own city has been as  
far south as Dayton to speak in this  
campaign. While the result is thus  
considered as indirectly affecting the  
coming election of state officers and  
members of the legislature it is also  
conceded that it will have a bearing at  
Cleveland on both the Democratic and  
Republican nominations for gov-  
ernor and at Cincinnati it may develop  
the Democratic opponent of Senator  
Hanna as well as affect the next Demo-  
cratic nomination for governor.

### ELECTION IN KANSAS.

Result Will Give Little Indication of  
Trend of Public Sentiment.

Kansas City, April 6.—The elections  
to be held in all the Kansas cities of  
the first class will as a rule settle mat-  
ters of various interest. The liquor  
question cuts a smaller figure than in  
previous years, but is the vital issue  
in Topeka. In Kansas City, Kan., straight  
Democratic and Republican tickets are  
in the field and the victory of either will  
be hailed as a party triumph, but in most  
of the other cities party lines are not closely drawn and  
the result will give no indication of  
the trend of public sentiment.

### NEW BREAK IN LEVEE.

Magnolia Plantation South of New Or-  
leans Inundated.

New Orleans, April 6.—The only  
new break reported in the river during  
the day was at former Governor H. C.  
Warmoth's Magnolia plantation,  
about sixty miles south of the city on  
the west bank of the river and close  
to the tracks of the New Orleans, Fort  
Jackson and Grand Isle railway. The  
river there is one of the deepest spots  
and a part of the batteau caved in,  
carrying with it 100 feet of the levee.  
The plantation was soon inundated,  
but repair work was almost as quick.  
A train of material was run to the  
place and Governor Warmoth, former  
Congressman L. S. Wilkinson and  
other planters mustered an army of  
men and a crib was built on the land  
side. This cribbing, 200 feet long, was  
built and filled with sacks of earth by  
night, checking the flow so that the  
drainage machine could carry off the  
water. This was record time for clos-  
ing a break, but there is a huge body  
of water against the crib and the dan-  
ger is not past.

### TOM ALLEN IS DEAD.

Famous Old Pugilist Expires From  
General Debility.

St. Louis, April 6.—Tom Allen, retired  
heavyweight champion pugilist who lost  
the world's championship, regained it and  
retired with it. He lost the champion-  
ship to Jem Mace, May 1, 1870, and  
regained the title by defeating Mike McCool, Sept. 23, 1873. During  
the latter years of his life Allen de-  
voted much of his attention to back-  
ing a number of fighters of renown.

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## AULTMAN MILLER COMPANY.

Statement Issued to Creditors Showing  
Amount of Indebtedness.

Akron, April 6.—A statement has  
been sent out to the creditors of the  
Aultman Miller company, which went  
into the hands of H. P. McIntosh of  
Cleveland, and George W. Crouse of  
Akron, as receivers, showing that the  
assets of the company as fixed by a  
New York audit company, Dec. 31, are  
\$1,751,650. This is \$124,000 short of  
the liabilities as they stood before that

Hon. G. W. Crouse, president of  
the Aultman Miller company, is per-  
sonally liable on over \$1,500,000 over  
the indebtedness. The creditors are  
numerous banks, those of Chicago  
holding more of the paper than any  
one other city. An Augusta broker  
had placed more than \$100,000 of the notes.

The cause of the firm's trouble, Mr.  
Crouse said, was ruinous business  
methods into which competing com-  
panies for the past ten years have fol-  
lowed, sending an army of men over  
the country to sell machinery to any  
one who would buy, regardless of the  
purchaser's responsibility.

### BURGLAR SHOT DOWN.

Bold Robber Riddled With Bullets at  
Himrods, N. Y.

Syracuse, N. Y., April 6.—A special  
to the Post Standard from Penn Yan  
says: A series of burglaries which  
has been stirring the country around  
Himrods for the past few weeks was  
cleared up in a tragic manner early  
Sunday morning. The night operator at  
Himrods thought he heard an ex-  
plosion in a store. He gave an alarm  
and a crowd of villagers quickly sur-  
rounded the place. A man's form was  
seen in the store and he was command-  
ed to surrender. For reply he boldly  
opened the door and, drawing a ro-  
lever, fired point blank at the crowd.  
The bullet failed to reach its mark,  
and before he could fire again his body  
was riddled with bullets and shot. He  
fell unconscious and died soon after.  
He was a stranger here.

### PANAMA CANAL TREATY.

Opposition Developing in Nearly Every  
Department of Colombia.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 6.—The Royal  
Mail company's steamer Atrato, which  
arrived here from Colon and Cartagena,  
brings the report that consider-  
able opposition is developing to the  
Panama canal treaty in almost  
every department of Colombia except  
Panama. It is believed that the ma-  
jority in congress will favor the treaty,  
but there are fears that trouble will  
arise because the political situation in  
Colombia is becoming more complicated,  
and the presidency is sur-  
rounded with uncertainty.

### Emperor William's Visit Ends.

Copenhagen, April 6.—The German  
emperor concluded his visit to the  
Danish court Sunday and went on  
board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern  
that evening. A large crowd witnessed  
the emperor's departure. The Hohenzollern  
sailed for Kiel Sunday night.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A new Hayfield cabinet has been  
formed.

Quiet has been restored at Madrid,  
the student disorders having been  
suppressed.

Jefferson S. Conever, grand secretary  
of the Free and Accepted Masons of  
Michigan, is dead at Ann Arbor.

Hereafter the navy department will  
try to allow all enlisted men two rea-  
sonably long vacations each year.

Miss Alice Roosevelt has returned  
to Washington from her visit to Gov-  
ernor Hunt's family in Porto Rico.

Agnes Hdye Bangs, wife of John  
Kendrick Bangs, died suddenly at her  
home at Yonkers, N. Y., of heart dis-  
ease.

The seventh annual meeting of the  
American Academy of Political and  
Social Science will be held in Philadel-  
phia on April 17 and 18.

Mrs. Roosevelt and her children,  
who have been on a cruise on the  
Mayflower down the Potomac river and  
Chesapeake Bay, have returned to  
Washington.

Terry McGovern and Benny Yager  
of Chicago have been matched to  
fight some time between May 15 and  
June 1, before the club offering the best  
inducements.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

#### Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, April 4—Wheat—May,  
73 1/2@73 1/2c; July, 73 1/2@73 1/2c. On  
track—No. 1 hard, 76 1/2c; No. 1  
Northern, 75 1/2c; No. 2 Northern,  
74 1/2c.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, April 4—Wheat—To arrive  
—No. 1 hard, 76 1/2c; No. 1 Northern,  
73 1/2c; No. 2 Northern, 73 1/2c; May,  
76 1/2c; July, 74 1/2c. Flax—Cash,  
\$1.10 1/2. To arrive—\$1.10 1/2. On  
track—\$1.11 1/2.

### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, April 4—Cattle—Good to  
choice steers, \$4.50@6.00; common to  
fair, \$3.00@4.25; good to choice cows  
and heifers, \$3.25@4.00; veals, \$2.50@  
5.00. Hogs—\$6.65@7.40. Sheep—Good  
to choice, \$6.25@6.50; lambs, \$6.50@  
7.00.

### Chicago Union Stock Yards.